

HAY LAKE
T6 R8, Penobscot Co.
U. S. G. S. Shin Pond, Me.

Fishes

Salmon	Minnows (cont'd)
Brook trout (squaretail)	Lake chub
Yellow perch	Creek chub
Eel	Redbelly dace
White sucker	Banded killifish
Minnows	Threespine stickleback
Fallfish (chub)	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Common shiner	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 588 acres

Temperatures

Surface - 65° F.

Maximum depth - 34 feet

32 feet - 64° F.

Water temperatures of Hay Lake are about equal at all depths and during very hot weather may occasionally reach the mid-70's. However, except in extreme circumstances, water temperatures remain cool enough for survival of salmon and trout.

Experimental salmon plantings are currently being made in Hay Lake in an attempt to provide a worthwhile salmon fishery in a marginal lake with considerable competition from coarse fish. Results to date show that salmon growth and survival are good, and if a satisfactory salmon fishery is provided, stocking will be continued on a routine basis.

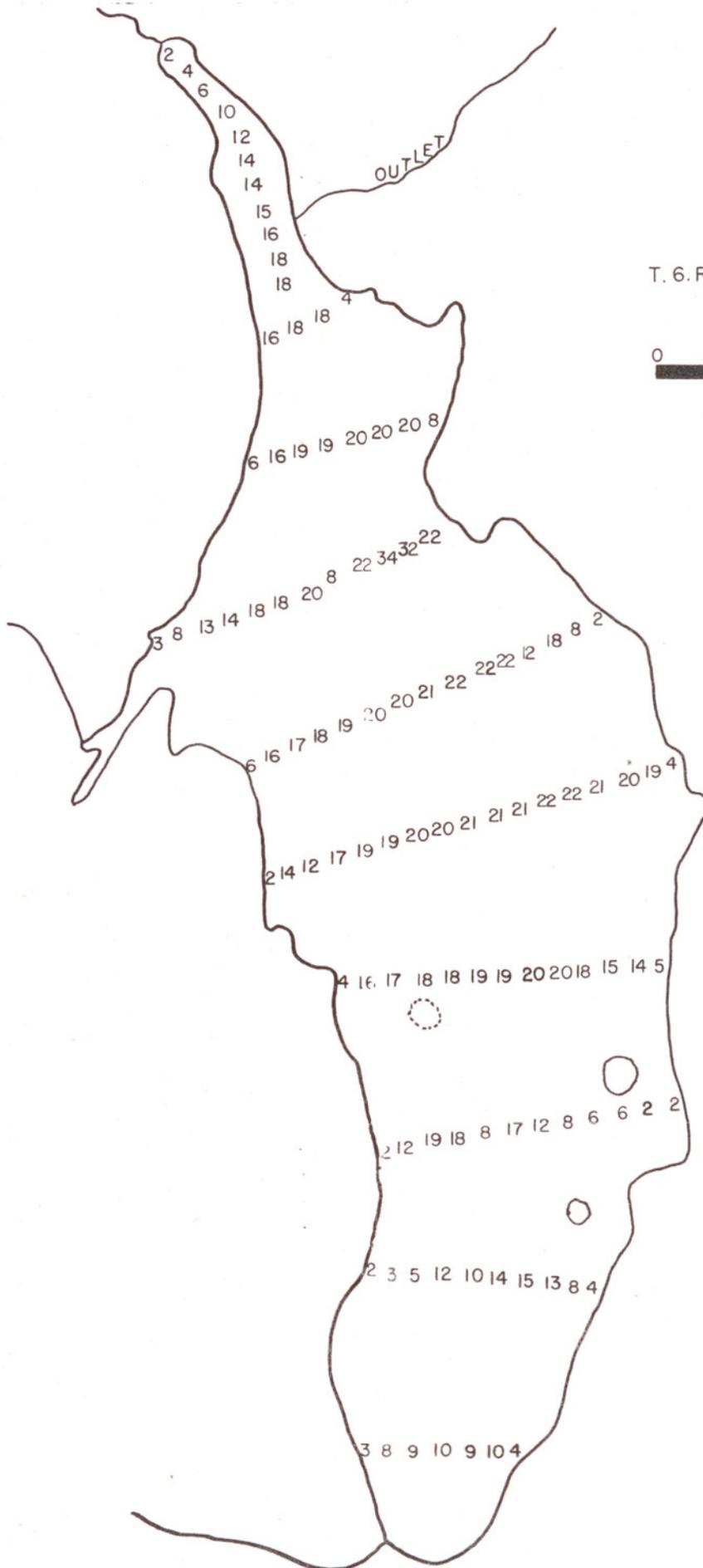
Some salmon spawning area is available in the outlet stream, and the stream should be kept clear of obstructions to allow free movement of salmon between the lake and the outlet.

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